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MAKE A BIG CASE OF GREETINGS TO ALL SPEAKERS

Fifth Annual Picnic of Blazers Of Trail Held at Benson's Pt. Proved Outstanding Success

A crowd estimated at between twelve and fourteen hundred attended the fifth annual picnic of the Blazers of the trail, held at Benson's Point on Bear Lake on Wednesday.

Had the oldtimers asked for it, they could not have had more ideal weather. In a word, old timers gave one hundred per cent to the occasion. Sports of all kinds, boating and bathing were the centre of attraction. The lake was as calm as a mill pond, the water warm, with the result that many took advantage of conditions and had a dip. Launching in the lake and a sailboat, with all sails set, stood out in pleasant relief on the waters of the lake. Benson's Point presented the appearance of a real summer resort.

Reflecting the improved conditions, the refreshment booths were well patronized.

The picnic proved a real get-together. People greeted one another who had not seen since they came in over the trail years ago. Everyone

U. F. A. Local Elect Delegates To Convention

Messrs. Falconer, Ralson and Sharpe are the delegates elected by the Grande Prairie U. F. A. local to go to the convention of the Federal Convention at Spirit River, August 7. Members of the local present at the convention were given authority to select alternate delegates if necessary.

A resolution respecting the new Farmers Creditors Relief Act was passed for consideration at Spirit River, viz: "That farm indebtedness contracted before the slump be written down to the same extent to which the average of farm prices has fallen, and also that no interest be added on such debt during the time that farm products have sold below the cost of production, and that any interest paid during that time be credited on principal."

It was agreed that the next meeting of the local be held on the first Friday of October, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Stewart.

Railway Officials Are Making Tour Of Inspection

H. A. Dixon, of Winnipeg, chief engineer for the Canadian National, passed through Grande Prairie on Tuesday in his special car attached to the regular passenger. Mr. Dixon was accompanied by Mr. T. J. McEwen, for the Northern Alberta Railways.

Mr. Dixon was making his annual tour of inspection of the road. He expressed himself as being delighted with the condition of the track and commended those with those in the district.

"Will there be a good price for wheat this fall?" Mr. Dixon was asked. He replied that he was not sure on wheat, but it was the general feeling that wheat would be better this fall, even higher than at present.

Slave Lake Will Hold Water Sports August 3 and 4

Slave Lake, the popular summer resort at the end of Slave Lake, on August 3 and 4 will stage a big athletic meet and water sports.

The water sports will include motor boat races, pleasure boat races, surf boat race, surf boat race, canoe tripping, grassy pole, etc. Various entertainments will be given during the day.

A bathing beauty contest will also be a feature and is open to all comers. The athletic division will include baseball tournament, softball, and track events.

Each evening there will be a dance in the Legion Hall.

Slave Lake has one of the best beaches in western Canada. The town has made ample preparation to handle the large crowd expected.

Double Drowning In The Fort St. John District

A double drowning fatality occurred near Fort St. John last Friday afternoon.

Lucy, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Middleton, was paddling in the water of the lake on Friday afternoon. She was about three miles west of town when she disappeared.

Her father, John Middleton, age 32, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Middleton, immediately went to her assistance, but she pulled him down with her. Mr. Middleton, who was an excellent swimmer, was unable to keep her head up, and they both sank again into deep water.

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was at ease and entered into the spirit of the occasion and thoroughly enjoyed themselves. Groups were everywhere taking over the old days when the only method of travel was by horse or ox hitched to wagons.

In the evening clubs were spread on the grass and lunches served. No one went away hungry. Those who did not have lunches were invited to sit in.

Immediately after lunch the heavy ones from the East End and the staid ones from the West lined up for the tug-of-war, the West winning in straight pulls.

In the evening a dance in the Legion Hall, Lake Saskatchewan, started, holding to capacity. This was open only to oldtimers and their families. Bert Funnell's Old-time Orchestra furnished the music.

Only a small dance was allowed, and the oldtimers lived until the day before the fox trot and all the rest of the new-fangled dance came into being. And so ended a perfect day.

SEEN AND HEARD AT THE OLDTIMERS' PICNIC

Art Tyrrell, recalling the last time he met Alf Field at Benson's Point, church, Alex Hays, saying: "They talk about the Peace River being better, though I can remember when I caught the horse off a pine tree that had become mired in a mudhole in Moore's Creek on the Eldon Trail."

Fred B. Dixon, recalling a thrilling six-year race at the 1912 picnic (Continued on Page Two)

Settler Drowned In Floods of the Pine River

The Pine River claimed another victim last week when Andy Anderson, a 70-year-old settler living about 30 miles above Pine Point, died in his life in an attempt to escape from the flood waters.

Anderson, a former settler, was in the middle Pine River crossing rapidly to unprecendented flood levels. Anderson's cabin is built on a river flat and appeared to have been flooded to a height of four feet.

Knowing that the old man had been called to bed, Mrs. Anderson, a neighbor, called to see if he was all right, but could get no response to his calls or shouts. Searching around he found Anderson's body about 100 yards from the cabin. He had evidently tried to escape from the rising waters to high ground, but handicapped by age and sickness was unsuccessful. Constable Devlin and Coroner Chase left on Thursday to investigate.

The river was in a dangerous stage along the valley. Hay and grain crops are ruined and houses flooded from one to three feet. Lone Prairie district is under water and boats are being used to reach the shore. Water reached Keweenaw's house and the latter's entire crop has been destroyed. It is the worst flood the settlement has experienced. Fortunately the Murray did not rise to any extent or much more damage would have occurred. —Peace River News.

MRS. ALICE MONKMAN STRUCK BY LIGHTNING SUNDAY NIGHT

During the severe electric storm which swept the district on Sunday night, Mrs. Alice Monkman, of Lone Prairie, was struck by lightning. The lightning struck her in the back of her head, and she was killed instantly. The Tribune was pleased to report that Mrs. Monkman, who is the wife of the discoverer of the Monkman Pass, is recovering.

Despite Rain First Day Two Thousand Attend Rycroft 2-Day Stampede and Sports

RYCROFT, Aug. 1.—The Stampede and Sports held here Monday and Tuesday of this week, went over big. The big event on the second day, a big crowd attending.

According to estimates worked out by some spectators, an even larger crowd, there must have been about 2,000 attending, including children.

In spite of the rain on Monday evening, which dampened the spirits of a few, the dance hall was full and all enjoyed themselves as if nothing had happened.

The big event on the second day was J. Subler riding Round River King. Jack made a good ride and was cheered and applauded by the crowd. The handsaker he received from his numerous followers and admirers showed their great appreciation of his wonderful ride.

The feature baseball event was pulled by Patrice being unable to attend on account of the side at Dungen preventing the ferry bringing over the ball team and their hardware.

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Haaken Domstad Painfully Injured By Dynamite Cap

On Thursday evening, Haaken Domstad, well known in the Grande Prairie district, was painfully injured on Chris Ross' farm by a dynamite cap which exploded in his hand.

He was rushed to the Municipal Hospital, where it was found necessary to amputate one of his thumbs and a forefinger. His chin was also cut by the exploding cap.

Dr. O'Brien, who performed the operation, says the patient is doing well as can be expected and that his wounds should be serious, could easily have been greater.

LIBERAL BIG FOR OUR TOURING NORTH

W. R. HOWSON, Provincial Liberal Leader

G. G. McGeer, K.C. Member of B. C. Legislature

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Valhalla Creamery, which was postponed from July 21 on account of unfavorable weather conditions, was held on July 27. Quite a number of patrons as well as shareholders turned out, almost every district being represented.

Mr. Simon Hanson, president of the association, presided over the meeting. The minutes from the previous shareholders' meeting were read, as also were the two balance sheets covering the year 1933 and the half year of 1934. These were then discussed and upon motion were adopted.

Following this a report covering the work of the board of directors since the previous annual meeting was read by Mr. B. Thomsen, vice-president. This report was well received by the meeting and the patrons expressed their confidence in the board of directors.

The meeting was then thrown open for a general discussion of creamery matters, the principle of which was the method of payment for cream. "All cream paid for well received by the meeting and the patrons expressed their confidence in the board of directors."

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VON HINDENBURG FIGHTS LAST BATTLE WITH DEATH

NEUDIC, Germany, Aug. 2.—President Paul von Hindenburg, died last night at 9:05 a.m. It was his battle against death.

BERLIN, Aug. 2.—Chancellor Hitler made himself absolute and unquestioned dictator of Germany today by a virtual coup d'état. The Austrian-born former lance-corporal became President as well as Chancellor of Germany at 9 a.m. today when President von Hindenburg died. Within seven hours of the time of the President's death, the government had decreed that the German people shall hold a presidential plebiscite on the 1st of September to decide whether the country approves of his new president and the new government.

WHEAT CUTTING SHOULD COMMENCE ABOUT AUGUST 20

According to a check-up on the wheat crops of the district by the Tribune, the early varieties are ripening rapidly and if the present favorable weather holds, cutting is expected to commence around the 20th. This is at least two weeks earlier than last year.

The grain is filling well and a good sample and a heavy yield is expected.

NEW FEDERAL RELIEF SCHEME NOW OPERATIVE

OTTAWA, Aug. 1.—The new scheme of federal aid to unemployment relief became operative today. The one-third contribution of the Dominion government to the cost of the relief scheme, the proposed reduction to 25 per cent paid August 15 not being applied.

East Ender Saw Battle Between the Militia, Strikers

Howe Thompson and family of the East End, and Mrs. Hugh Thompson and daughter of Albion returned home on Wednesday from a month's holiday trip to the Coast. The party visited Mr. Thompson's old home at Spokane and relatives at Seattle.

When they returned to the Coast, the longshoremen's strike was at its height and the Thompsons and an opportunity to see a battle which lasted the better part of the day between the militia and the strikers.

The harbor was filled with ships and the city and suburbs were jammed. Only the trucks being serviced, pleasure cars being denied. There was also a shortage of foodstuffs. It began to look as though they were stranded there, but a fleet of tug boats was sent to get enough gas to proceed.

To give some idea of the intensity of the feeling was related, Mr. Thompson related the following incident:

A couple of visitors, who evidently wanted to get a close-up on the situation, went to the wharves close to the docks. The strikers, believing that they were strikebreakers, broke their way to pieces with sledge hammers and manhandled them so severely that they had to be taken to the hospital. Asked how the crews here compared with the strike, Mr. Thompson replied that he had seen none better in his trip.

SPECIAL SUNDAY EVENING TALKS AT SEYMOUTH ON SUNDAY EVENING NEXT

As a special Sunday evening attraction there will be presented at the Seymour Theatre, on Sunday evening, a colored slide show—500 views on large screen, with musical score—entitled, "The World Benefactor" and "Life of Christ."

A silver collection will be taken. The show starts at 9 o'clock.

McGeer Says Money Managers Should Be Driven Out of Temple

G. P. SADDLERY UTILIZING LOCALLY GROWN PEACE RIVER STRAW FOR MAKING HORSE COLLARS

The Grande Prairie Saddlery is making a portion of the horse collars for the year 1935 and straw grown by John Locker, farming west of Semtech.

Mr. Nelson states that the straw is giving excellent satisfaction and that the locally made collars were finding a ready market.

Valhalla Creamery Shareholders Hold Annual Meeting

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Seed Growers Assn. Handle 67 Cars Of Seed Oats

There was a large attendance at the annual meeting of the Grande Prairie Co-operative Seed Growers Association, held in the office of the District Agricultural Officer on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. P. C. Chubb was re-elected director and Mr. Hanson was elected to take the place of Hon. Hugh Allen, minister of lands and municipal affairs. Otherwise the officers remained the same as last year.

It was pointed out that 67 carsload of seed oats were handled during the season and these cars contained 120,000 bushels of seed.

These oats sold for over \$42,000 and the district \$12,000 more than if they had been sold through ordinary channels.

Attention was drawn to the fact that the seed cleaner, which is owned by the association, was operated 50 ten-hour days during the season.

Brome, rye and clover seed, and seed potatoes were also distributed for the benefit of the members.

Seed grain is sold on a small commission for non-members as well as members.

There is evidence of the association's activities. It was pointed out that recently two carloads of linkage were shipped in for the benefit of the members.

Mr. Hanson, president of the Association, which at present has 45 members, occupied the chair.

Low Beaver Lodge Man Narrowly Escapes Drowning

Musley Sherk, prominent Lower Beaverford farmer, narrowly escaped drowning in the Beaverford River last evening.

It appears that while bathing alone in the Beaverford River, he slipped out of his depth and, not being a strong swimmer, was in difficulty.

His plight was noticed by Earl Schultz and John Zimmerman, who rescued him in the nick of time.

CLAIMANT U. F. A. WILL MEET AT HOME OF STUART WHITTEN ON AUGUST 27

The Claimant U. F. A. will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Whitten, Saturday, August 4, at 8 p.m.

The meeting is for orders for twins will be made and other business will be transacted.

Grande Prairie Experiences Bad Electric Storm - Water Tower and Town Hall Struck

During the severe electric storm which swept over Grande Prairie and the surrounding district on Sunday night, the water tower and town hall were struck by lightning.

The lightning struck the water tower and the town hall, causing considerable damage. The water tower was struck in the tank and the town hall was struck in the roof.

The lightning also caused a power outage in the town, and many homes were without electricity for several hours.

The damage to the water tower was so severe that it had to be replaced. The town hall was also damaged, and the roof had to be repaired.

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Howson Charges Govt. With Extravagance—Says Province Is Bankrupt—Time For Change

Mr. G. G. McGeer: "Turn the screws out of the temple and establish an efficient system of finance."

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Hon. Charles Stewart Says Trade Stagnation Due to Orgy of High Tariffs Imposed In By Nations of The World.

An attendance that packed the Elks Hall to capacity on Thursday evening greeted the Liberal speakers who are touring the Peace River country. They are: W. H. Howson, leader of the Alberta Liberals; G. G. McGeer, economist and member of the British Columbia legislature; and Hon. Charles Stewart, M.P. for West Edmonton and ex-Minister of the Interior, L. A. Stinson, M.L.A. for Fort McMurray.

Mr. Howson, who was on the sick list and unable to attend this meeting, made his appearance by expressing his sympathy for the people who are taking in the issues of the province, and Mr. Howson predicted that Mr. Howson would be present.

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Halcott Oldtimer Meets With Very Painful Accident

Harry Walker of Halcott, ex-member of the Grande Prairie Hospital, met with a painful accident on Monday afternoon.

He was working in his home in his back, which was on top, when he ran into the wall and fell. He was injured in the back and the leg, and he was taken to the hospital.

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GRANDE PRAIRIE MEN MAKE SPEEDY TRIP TO EDMONTON

E. B. de la Roche, manager of the Super Service Station, and L. Barrie, of the Massey-Harris Company, made a speedy trip to Edmonton on Friday evening.

They were accompanied on the return trip by Mrs. Barrie and Mrs. O. de la Roche. They were accompanied on the return trip by Mrs. Barrie and Mrs. O. de la Roche.

SEVERAL HORSES KILLED BY LIGHTNING ON SUNDAY NIGHT

According to reports reaching the Tribune, two horses belonging to Henry Pickers, who lives on the island, were killed by lightning on Monday night.

A heavy downpour of rain fell at the storm subsided and over twenty cars were stranded on the island for half an hour.

It is reported that several other horses were killed by lightning on Monday night.

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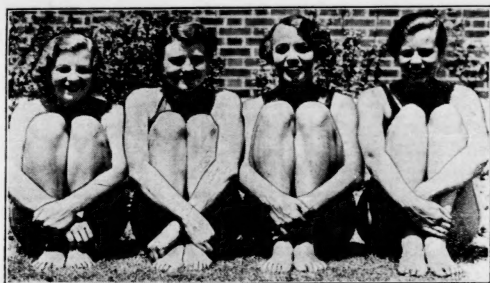
ILLUSTRATED NEWS OF THE WEEK

A SPECIAL TRIBUNE FEATURE

THE BEST OF THE WEEK'S INTERESTING NEWS PICTURES



PREPARING FOR A FOOD TIED WHEN THE GENERAL STRIKE WAS DECLARED IN SAN FRANCISCO
Above is shown part of the thousands who jammed San Francisco stores to stock up on food for protection against the possibility of a famine. At the right are two of the union leaders ordering the general strike—C. D. Deal, left, head of the ferryboat union, and Edward Vandierker, right, chairman of the street car union.



CANADIAN GIRLS TO REPRESENT DOMINION AT BRITISH EMPIRE GAMES
This charming quartet of girls represents the major part of Canada's female swimming team to go to London to represent the Dominion in the forthcoming British Empire Games. Left to right: Noel Oxbury, New Westminster, B.C., who won the 100-yard back stroke event in the trials; Phyllis Dewar of Moose Jaw, Sask., who came second in the 440 free style trial event; Phyllis Haslin, Winnipeg, Man., who set a new world record for the 100-yard breast stroke after bettering the British Empire Games' mark for the 200-yard breast stroke event in the trials; Irene Pirie, Toronto, Ont., who won both the 100 and 440-yard free style events.

The Academy of Sciences, Lenin-grad, reports that the injection of ethyl alcohol by hypodermic needle into immature tomato fruits still attached to the plant hastened ripening. Shading with reinforced cheesecloth having a thread count of 22 by 22 in experiments at Cornell University increased the length of stem and size of flower of all varieties. Aster, chrysanthemum, snapdragon, calceolula, sweet peas and dahlias were among the most benefited. Insect injury was decreased.

In Canada and the more northern latitudes and on the tops of mountains, the duration of sunlight during summer is much greater than on the lowlands or in places nearer the equator.

The sales of branded beef in Canada for the month of May amounted to 4,296,360 pounds, as against 2,754,078 pounds in May, 1933. The total sales for the first five months of this year were 17,163,703, as against 12,922,183 pounds in the corresponding months of last year.

Of the 676 pedigreed swine registered during the month of June by the Canadian National Records and approved by the Dominion Minister of Agriculture, 351 were Yorkshire, 53 Berkshire, 45 Tamworth, 22 Chester White, 4 Poland China, and 1 Duroc Jersey. The registration of pedigree horses numbered 251, of which 102 were Percherons, and of the 2,267 cattle registered, 1,632 were Ayrshire. Other registrations were 410 sheep; 28 faxes; 981 dogs; 1 poultry; and 11 goats (7 Toggenburg and 4 Saanen).



GOES TO OTTAWA
D. Leo Dolan of Fredericton, N.B., who has been appointed director of the newly-formed Dominion Tourist Bureau. For some years Mr. Dolan has been director of the bureau of information and tourist travel in New Brunswick.



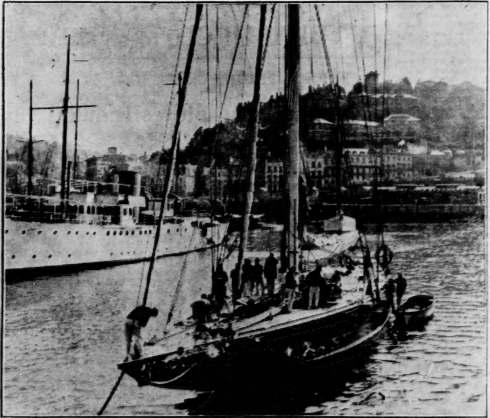
GEORGE SPENCE
Liberal member for Nottawa in the new Saskatchewan legislature. Mr. Spence has been appointed minister of natural resources and public works. In a former Liberal administration he held the highways portfolio. He was at one time a prospector in the Klondike and subsequently was a member of the Dominion government.



BECOMES COMMODORE
Captain Percy W. Nelles, Canadian-born officer, who recently succeeded Rear-Admiral Hogg as head of the Royal Canadian Navy, has been promoted to the rank of Commodore.



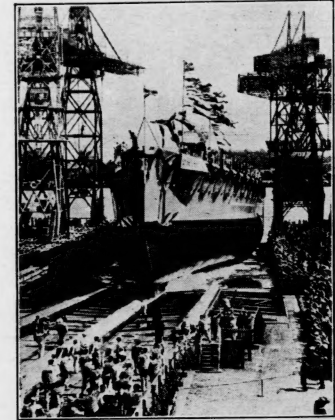
DUKE AND DUCHESS OF MARLBOROUGH AT THE RACES
With the recent passing of the Duke of Marlborough at the age of 92, the Marquis of Blandford (left), becomes the tenth Duke. At the right is the new Duchess of Marlborough, photographed at one of the recent race meets which she attended with the Duke.



BRITISH CHALLENGER READY FOR LONG TRIP ACROSS THE BRINY
This picture was taken at Torbay as the Endeavour prepared to haul in her anchor and proceed to Glasgow to be overhauled for the long trip across the Atlantic Ocean. The day after this picture was taken the professional members of the crew put in demands for more pay. It was refused, the "pros" were fired and now 15 amateurs have been selected to take their places. The Endeavour, which represents Britain's latest challenge for the America Cup, now in the possession of the United States, will start the races early in September.



FAMOUS EVANGELIST VISITS BIRD SANCTUARY
For years Jack Miner, famous Canadian naturalist, has been an intimate friend of the Rev. W. A. Sundry, of evangelistic fame, but it was not until recently that Mr. Sundry visited the Miner bird sanctuary at Kingsville. Here we see Mr. Sundry feeding some of Jack Miner's feathered pets, while Mrs. Miner (left) and Mrs. Sundry (right) help in handing out the grain. On the left of the picture can be seen Jack Miner.



GERMANY LAUNCHES ANOTHER POCKET BATTLESHIP
Here we see the "Admiral Graf Spee" sliding down the slip-way at the formal launching at Wilhelmshaven. This is the third "pocket battleship" to be built by Germany, and it is within the limit of 10,000 tons laid down by the Treaty of Versailles. It is estimated to have cost \$20,000,000.



AUTOMOBILE RACING STAR APPEALS SENTENCE
Kaye Don (left), one of the leading automobile racing drivers in the British Isles, who is appealing his conviction meted out by a Mans jury as a result of manslaughter charges. The charges were laid after a race trial accident at the Isle of Man, when Kaye Don was injured and his mechanic killed. Above, right, is Mrs. Kaye Don, who travelled to the island by plane to be with her husband during the trial.



HOLIDAY CAMPER: "I say, General, as one jolly old camper to another, could you get some of your chappies to show me how to shoot this lally tent up?"
—The London Opinion.

Gleanings of Interest To the Women Folks

By THE GLEANER

Mrs. Mary Hayhen is visiting in Seasmith.

Mrs. O. Lynn of Edmonton is the guest of Mrs. Vee, Bentley.

Dr. and Mrs. George left by car on Sunday for Edmonton.

Mrs. Marguerite Michaels is back at work after a very enjoyable holiday.

Mrs. Fay and Miss Helen Fay spent last week with Mrs. Heller at Leaside.

Miss Gladys Brown has returned from Nampa, where she visited her parents.

Master Douglas Grant has returned from a three weeks visit to his sister, Mrs. Orla Hommy.

Mrs. Fay Murphy entertained Mrs. Roy Fitzgerald and a few friends to tea on Friday afternoon.

Sister Rev. Lucy and Sister Rev. Justin left for Father on Tuesday's train for two weeks.

Mrs. Orla Hommy and young daughter are visiting Mrs. Hommy's mother, Mrs. Gant, for a few days.

Little Lorraine Lockyer left on Tuesday's train for Winnipeg, where she will visit.

Mrs. Fay Murphy is visiting Mrs. H. J. Hursey at Bear Lake for a few days.

Mrs. Frank Spicer had a few visitors Wednesday afternoon to see little Dorra Anne.

Mrs. Margaret Davies and Mr. Harry Bow paid a flying visit to Grande Prairie Wednesday.

Mrs. W. Pearson is visiting Mrs. A. Turner of Vahlha and Mrs. Margaret Turner in town with Miss Madeline Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Shields expect to leave Grande Prairie Friday for an automobile tour of the southern part of the province.

Mrs. Fred Wilson and family of Berwyn are spending a few days holidaying and renewing old acquaintances in Grande Prairie.

Miss Ruth Robertson and Miss Mary Robertson report that they are having a most wonderful trip, having reached Halifax, N.S. from the last letter.

Mrs. and Mrs. Hilda Blow, their little daughter, Vale, and Miss Jean Nowers.

BOOK REVIEW

By J. C. B.

Matador: by Marguerite Steen.

Though this story is based on the life and character of a matador, it is not just a novel of the arena. The theme of "blood and mud" is there, but only as a background to the story. It is the story of Don Jose, retired matador (known as "El Balastrero"), the dancer, because he added to his lack of height by walking on tip-toes, and his three sons, Pepe (Balastrero), Miguel, who was a cripple, and Juan, the youngest, to whom the very idea of a bullfight is nauseating, and who wishes to be a poet.

Interviewed with his story is the story of Pilar Borrás, daughter of old Don Mercedes. There is a delightful touch of comedy in the scene between Don Jose and Don Mercedes.

When Don Jose pays an official call on the old lady (who he considers in the name of his son Pepe, who he declares to be madly in love with Pilar, Don Mercedes, known as Don Jose is after her ingrained wealth, which will go to her granddaughter (for a matador to be successful must have a rich wife), gives her consent to the betrothal, partly from a love of mischief and partly because at her old age she will let her grandchild and the comedy ends with some very clever touches of satire, and has in it all the color and brilliancy of Spain.

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NUFF SAID!
Young Reid had been to a rather large party, and on coming home was eagerly plying his parents with details of the evening's doings. "I saw some cake," and I says "Yus," and I says "Yus, Jus, Jus!"

He went on in this strain for some time, invariably ending "Yus, Jus, Jus!" At last his father asked sarcastically, "And when I ask did you say 'No'?" "Er, backed his brow and retorted, "When I said 'Yus' you 'No' enough?"

Miss L. McFarlane Charming Bride at Home Wedding

A very pretty wedding was celebrated at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. McFarlane, of Buffalo Lakes, on Tuesday, July 31, when their eldest daughter, Lorna, became the bride of Mr. Harry Harte of Vahlha, the ceremony being performed by the Rev. H. E. Seasmith, in the presence of immediate relatives.

The bride was attended by Miss Lillian McFarlane, and the bridesmaid by Graham McFarlane. The bride was charmingly attired in a gown of pink crepe with white accessories and carried a lovely bouquet of pink roses and lilies of the valley. The bridesmaid also carried a bouquet of pink carnations.

During the ceremony a delicious lunch was served at the home of the bride. The couple left on a motor trip.

Wedding Bells

PETERSON-SAVILLE
A pretty wedding ceremony took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peterson, of Buffalo Lakes, on Tuesday, July 31, when Walter Peterson, of Delbert, and Gladys Saville, daughter of Mrs. John Galt, were united in marriage by the Rev. H. E. Seasmith. The happy couple will take up their abode in the fall on a farm at Delbert.

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In the evening the Liberal standard-bearers spoke a pack of cards to their supporters, and it is reported that all would have been well had it not been for a few hecklers, but the Clairmont ball tossers had no further respect for themselves nor for those who would encourage them, to them a bit of knowledge by which they could.

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		NEW POTATOES, 15 lbs.....	.25
		4 lbs.....	
		GREEN COOKING APPLES—	.25
		4 lbs.....	
		B.C. BLACKBERRIES—	.25
		2 boxes.....	
		LOCAL RASPBERRIES	.15
		Per box.....	
		BANANAS, 3 lbs.....	.25
		GOOD DAIRY BUTTER, lb.....	.15
		EGGS—New Laid, 2 dozen.....	.25
		SHAKER SALT—2 for.....	.25

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LATEST NEWS FLASHES

CHICAGO, Aug. 2.—The eastward was stifled today that the freight, according to a 17 noon dispatch from Green Bay, Wis., and in damage. The latter was dispatched from the Green Bay station to effect a rescue.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 2.—Western Canada wheat growers have been depressed in recent weeks by the drought, and a 17 noon dispatch from Winnipeg, Man., reported that the wheat crop in the West was down to 10 per cent of the normal yield.

ROME, Aug. 1.—Italian troops stationed on the Austrian border will shortly be withdrawn, it was understood here today. The improved Austrian situation justified the Italian relaxation of precautionary measures taken at the time of the abortive Nazi coup in Vienna, well informed circles said.

OTTAWA, Aug. 1.—A report by the prime minister to the House of Commons that the government was considering a bill to amend the Criminal Code, which would make it an offence to publish or circulate false news, was met with a cold reception.

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